

Application No. 10/645,817
Docket No. 2002U015.US
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Remarks

Restriction

Election of Claims 1-16 is affirmed, and claims 17-33 are cancelled without prejudice.

Section 112 Rejections, second paragraph

Claims 1 through 16 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph as indefinite. The Applicant amends these claims accordingly to overcome these rejections.

Claim 1 is amended to replace, in line 1, the term "activator" with ~~—catalyst—~~, as agreed to by phone.

Claim 1 is also amended to replace the terms "inorganic oxide" with ~~—support—~~, support for which is found at, for example, paragraph [0009] of the specification as filed.

Claim 1 is also amended to include the phrase ~~—at least one—~~before "catalyst" to conform to the current dependent Claim 4.

Claim 3 is herein cancelled without prejudice.

As to the rejection of Claim 4, the term "Group 15-containing catalyst compound" is well defined in the specification as filed at paragraphs [0047]-[0048]. The phrase ~~—the group consisting of—~~is inserted for clarity.

In Claim 9, the phrase ~~—by weight of supported activated catalyst—~~ is added for clarity.

In Claim 12, the term "type" is deleted so that "metallocene" is consistent with the definition in the specification and as known in the art.

Applicant requests that these rejections be withdrawn.

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New Claims

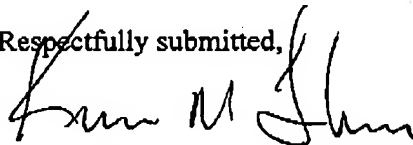
New Claim 34 derives from the working examples as filed in the original specification, no new matter is added.

It is submitted that the case is in condition for allowance. The Applicant invites the Examiner to telephone the undersigned attorney if there are any other issues outstanding which have not been presented to the Examiner's satisfaction.

Date

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